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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/528,148 Confirmation No. : 6524
First Named Inventor : Hannelore DORNBACH
Filed : October 13, 2005
TC/A.U. : 2632
Examiner :

Docket No. : 095309.56031US
Customer No. : 23911

Title : Driver Authorization System

REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 14, 2006

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request correction of inventorship in the above-identified U.S. patent application by adding the name of Peter Wieltsch in addition to the originally named inventors.

Payment of the required processing fee of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) by credit card is authorized and accompanies this Request, along with the Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2), the Declaration of Mr. Peter Wieltsch, and the written consent of the assignee, DaimlerChrysler AG (Reel 017086/Frame 0444, 10/13/2005).

If there are any questions regarding this Request or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

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If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket # 095309.56031US).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Gary R. Edwards", written over a horizontal line.

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a)(2)

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Sir:

The undersigned state that Peter WIELTSCH, whose declaration accompanies the request to correct inventorship, was omitted by error as a named inventor in the above-identified U.S. patent application and this error occurred without deceptive intention on the part of the undersigned.

10.10.2006
Date:

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10.10.2006
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Hartmut Fitz
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Date:

Peter Wieltsch
Peter Wieltsch



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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

(For Use with Application Data Sheet)

Title Of Invention	Driver Authorization System
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As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

- ☐ The attached application, or
☐ PCT international application Number _____, filed. _____
☒ Application No. 10/528,148, 371(c) filing date October 13, 2005
as amended on _____ (if applicable);

I believe that I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought.

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application, if applicable;

I/we hereby appoint the practitioners at **CROWELL & MORING L.L.P.**, whose Customer Number is:

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as my/our attorneys to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; and

All statements made herein of my/our own knowledge are true; all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true, and further these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

FULL NAME(S) of INVENTOR(S)

Signature: Peter WIELTSCH
Inventor one: Peter WIELTSCH
Citizen of: GERMANY

Date: 28.09.2006

___ Additional Inventors on Attached sheet if checked



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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE

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Sir:

Consent of the Assignee, DaimlerChrysler AG, in the above-identified U.S. patent application, as evidenced by the Assignment recorded on October 13, 2006, at Reel 017086, Frame 0444, is hereby given for adding Peter Wieltch as an inventor in said application.

DaimlerChrysler AG

i.v. *Härlein*

i.A. *Kautter*

By: Härlein Kautter

December 05, 2006
Date

ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned inventor has sold and assigned, and by these presents hereby sells and assigns, unto:

DaimlerChrysler AG
Epplestrasse 225
70567 Stuttgart, Germany

(hereinafter ASSIGNEE) all of his right, title and interest for the United States, its territories and possessions in and to his invention relating to:

DRIVER AUTHORIZATION SYSTEM

as set forth in his United States Patent Application (check one):

- ☐ executed concurrently herewith,
☐ executed on ____,
☒ Application No. 10/528,148, 371(c) filing date October 13, 2005
☐ PCT International Application, No.: __, filed __,

in and to said United States Patent Application including any and all divisions or continuations thereof and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may issue on any such application or for said invention, including any and all reissues or extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all such Letters patent may be granted as fully and entirely as would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this Assignment not been made;

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all such Letters patent to said ASSIGNEE, its successors or assigns in accordance herewith;

The undersigned warrants and covenants that he has the full and unencumbered right to sell and assign the interests herein sold and assigned and that he has not executed and will not execute any document or instrument in conflict herewith;

The undersigned further covenants and agrees he will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives or assigns all information known to him relating to said invention or patent application and that he will execute and deliver any papers, make all rightful oaths, testify in any legal proceedings and perform all other lawful acts deemed necessary or desirable by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives or assigns to perfect title to said invention, to said application including divisions and continuations thereof and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor or thereon, including reissues or extensions, in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, or assigns or to assist said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives or assigns in obtaining, reissuing or enforcing Letters Patent of the United States for said invention;

The undersigned hereby grants the firm of **CROWELL & MORING, L.L.P.**, or any partner thereof, the power to insert in this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this Assignment.

Signature:

Inventor one:


Peter WIELTSCH

28.09.2006
 DATE

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